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CALLS FOR PAPERS

"Politics and Culture of the Great Plains," the twentieth annual symposium of the Center for Great Plains Studies, will be held 11-13 April 1996 in Lincoln, Nebraska (note this is a date change from the original 4-6 April). The Center welcomes submissions of papers and other proposals, including displays, posters, graphics, and films, representing a broad spectrum of disciplines. Interested contributors are invited to submit 150-200 word proposals, plus a brief resume, by 30 July 1995. For more information or to submit a proposal, please contact John Hibbing at the Center for Great Plains Studies, 1213 Oldfather Hall, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebraska 68588-0314; (402) 472-3082; FAX (402) 472-0463; email: cgps@unlinfo.unl.edu

"Grasslands and Heartlands: Remembering and Representing the Great Plains in History and Literature" will be the theme of a joint meeting of the Western History Association and the Western Literature Association to be held 9-12 October 1996 in Lincoln, Nebraska. Proposals for papers and sessions on all aspects of western and frontier history and literature are welcome, especially those that explore the history and literature of the grasslands and its peoples. The Program Committee encourages proposals reflecting the interplay of imagination and experience, myth and memory, and reconstructions and representations of the Great Plains. Proposals should include a brief summary of prospective papers, with participants' names, addresses, telephone numbers, and a short paragraph on each presenter, chair, and commentator. The committee will assume that all those whose names appear in

the proposals have agreed to participate. Proposals should be sent by 1 September 1995 to the committee chair: John Mack Faragher, Department of History, Yale University, Box 1504A, Yale Station, New Haven, Connecticut 06520-7425; (203) 432-0727; FAX (203) 432-7587.

The thirty-ninth annual Missouri Valley History conference will be held in Omaha, Nebraska, 7-9 March 1996. Proposals for papers and sessions in all areas of history are welcome. Proposals, accompanied by a one-page abstract and vita, should be submitted by 15 October 1995. Contact Dale Gaeddert, Chair, MVHC, University of Nebraska at Omaha, Omaha, Nebraska 68182-0213.

NORTHERN GREAT PLAINS HISTORY CONFERENCE

The thirtieth anniversary Northern Great Plains History Conference, sponsored by Brandon University, will be held 27-30 September 1995 at the Victoria Inn in Brandon, Manitoba. For further information, contact Hans Burmeister, Department of History, Brandon University, Brandon, Manitoba, Canada R7A 6A9; (204) 727-9718; FAX (204) 726-0473; email: history@brandonu.ca

GABRIELLE ROY INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM

Le centre d'études franco-canadiennes de l'Ouest will sponsor a bilingual conference on Gabrielle Roy, 28-30 September 1995, at Collège universitaire de Saint-Boniface in Winnipeg, Manitoba. For further information, contact CEFCO, Gabrielle Roy International

Symposium, Collège universitaire de Saint-Boniface, 200 avenue de la Cathédrale, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada R2H 0H7; (204) 233-0210; FAX (204) 237-3240.

WESTERN HISTORY ASSOCIATION
CONFERENCE

The thirty-fifth annual conference of the Western History Association, "The North American West: New Boundaries," will be held 11-14 October 1995 in Denver, Colorado. For further information, contact Patricia Campbell, Western History Association, Department of History, University of New Mexico, 1080 Mesa Vista, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87131; (505) 277-5234; FAX (505) 277-6023.

GREAT PLAINS POPULAR CULTURE
ASSOCIATION AND AMERICAN CULTURE
ASSOCIATION CONFERENCE

The inaugural conference of the new regional chapter of the Popular Culture Association and American Culture Association will be held 12-14 October 1995 at Morningside College, Sioux City, Iowa. Scholars, teachers, students, and other professionals and enthusiasts of Great Plains culture are invited to participate. Direct questions to Marty Knepper, Secretary-Treasurer, Great Plains PCA/ACA,

Department of English, Morningside College, 1501 Morningside Ave., Sioux City, Iowa 51106; (712) 274-5264; FAX (712) 274-5101; email: msk001@chief.morningside.edu

CONFERENCE ON REGIONALISM
IN CANADIAN AND AMERICAN WRITING

The University of Alberta in Edmonton will sponsor a conference on "Sense of Place: Re-Evaluating Regionalism in Canadian and American Writing," 13-15 October 1995. For more information, contact Karen Overbye or Christian Riegel, Department of English, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada T6G 2E5; FAX (403) 492-8142; email: criegel@gpu.srv.ualberta.ca or koverbye@gpu.srv.ualberta.ca

COMPARATIVE FRONTIER STUDIES
SYMPOSIUM

The fourteenth Comparative Frontier Studies Symposium will be held 3-5 November 1995 at Trinity University, San Antonio, Texas. The symposium's theme will be "Religion in Frontier Societies." For information, contact Colin Wells or Diana Murin, Department of Classical Studies, 715 Stadium Drive, Trinity University, San Antonio, Texas 78212; (210) 736-7647 or 736-7653; FAX (210) 736-7305.